AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

- 1. (original) A flow control valve for cylinders of liquefied gases having a means for indicating the status of the fluid, comprising a body having a region provided with a shank that is adapted to be connected to a cylinder, a region for connection to user devices, a safety valve, and a movable actuation member, the actuation of which blocks the passage for the fluid from the cylinder toward the user device or clears said passage, a pressure sensing means being accommodated inside said actuation member.
- 2. (currently amended) The flow control valve for cylinders of liquefied gases according to claim 1, wherein a cavity is provided inside the movable actuation member and is connected to [[the]] a duct provided inside the region for connection to the user devices downstream of said chamber in the direction of outflow of the fluid.
- 3. (original) The flow control valve for cylinders of liquefied gases according to claim 2, wherein the pressure sensing means is enclosed in a casing that is detachably accommodated inside the movable actuation member, which is formed by a handwheel.
- 4. (original) The flow control valve for cylinders of liquefied gases according to claim 1, wherein the pressure sensing means comprises an indicator that is capable of moving along a graduated scale that is visible from outside.

- 5. (original) The flow control valve for cylinders of liquefied gases according to claim 4, wherein the graduated scale is divided into two regions of different color.
- 6. (original) The flow control valve for cylinders of liquefied gases according to claim 1, wherein the pressure sensing means comprises an electronic display system that can be read from outside.
 - 7. (new) A flow control valve for cylinders of liquefied gases, comprising: a body;
- a shank on said body, said shank being connectable to a cylinder of liquefied gases;
 - a region on said body for connection to a user device;
 - a safety valve mounted to said body;

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- a movable actuation member movably mounted to said body, the actuation of said actuation member alternatively blocking and opening a passage for fluid from the cylinder to the user device; and
 - a pressure sensor disposed inside said actuation member.
- 8. (new) The flow control valve according to claim 7, wherein a cavity is provided inside said actuation member and is connected to a duct provided inside said region for connection to the user device.

- 9. (new) The flow control valve according to claim 8, wherein said actuation member includes a handwheel and wherein said pressure sensor is enclosed in a casing that is detachably accommodated inside said handwheel.
- 10. (new) The flow control valve according to claim 8, wherein said pressure sensor comprises an indicator movable along a graduated scale visible from outside said body and said actuation member.
- 11. (new) The flow control valve according to claim 10, wherein the graduated scale is divided into regions of different color.
- 12. (new) The flow control valve according to claim 8, wherein said pressure sensor comprises an electronic display system that can be read from outside said body and said actuation member.